

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF OKLAHOMA**

RICHARD L. DOPP, )  
Petitioner, )  
vs. ) Case No. CIV-14-453-D  
ROBERT PATTON, DOC Director, )  
Respondent. )

## **REPORT AND RECOMMENDATION**

Petitioner, a state prisoner appearing pro se, filed a 28 U.S.C. § 2241 petition for writ of habeas corpus together with an application for leave to proceed in forma pauperis and supporting affidavit. Docs. 1, 2. Pursuant to an order entered by United States District Judge Timothy D. DeGiusti, this matter has been referred to the undersigned Magistrate Judge for initial proceedings consistent with 28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1)(B) and (C).

This Court ordered Plaintiff to cure his deficient application, which he did. Docs. 6, 7. Having reviewed said application, the undersigned finds that Petitioner has sufficient funds to prepay the filing fee of \$5. Specifically, the record reflects that Petitioner has \$27.47 in his inmate savings account that is available for the payment of filing fees. Because Petitioner does not qualify for authorization to proceed without prepayment of the filing fee, it is recommended that Petitioner's application, Doc. 7, be denied and that he be

ordered to prepay the full \$5 filing fee for this action to proceed. 28 U.S.C. § 1915(a)(1). It is further recommended that this action be dismissed without prejudice to refiling unless Petitioner pays the \$5 filing fee in full to the Clerk of the Court within twenty (20) days of any order adopting this Report and Recommendation.

Petitioner is advised of his right to file an objection to this Report and Recommendation with the Clerk of this Court by the 8th day of June, 2014, in accordance with 28 U.S.C. § 636 and Fed. R. Civ. P. 72. Petitioner is further advised that failure to timely object to this Report and Recommendation waives the right to appellate review of both factual and legal issues contained herein. *Moore v. United States*, 950 F. 2d 656, 659 (10th Cir. 1991). The Clerk is hereby directed not to forward a copy of the petition to the appropriate state agency until further order of the Court.

ENTERED this 19th day of May, 2014.



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SUZANNE MITCHELL  
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE